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OFFICE OF THE SURGEON GENERAL  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20310

REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

DASG-RDZ

26 August 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF FOR INTELLIGENCE

SUBJECT: GRILL FLAME

1. For the past several years, I have assisted the project GRILL FLAME with respect to the issue of human experimentation. In the course of addressing this issue, several members of my organization were cleared for this project: COL Edward L. Buescher, MC, and LTC Richard W. Severson, MSC. COL Buescher is still with the US Army Medical Research and Development Command, but LTC Severson has transferred to another assignment. This memorandum requests clearance for his replacement and several others.
2. Clearance for access to GRILL FLAME documents is requested for the following individuals:
  - a. LTC Roger A. Bennett, MSC, Chief, Human Use Review Office (vice LTC Severson)
  - b. Ms. Evelyn M. Boone, secretary to the Commander, US Army Medical Research and Development Command, and Assistant Surgeon General (Research and Development)
  - c. David Marlowe, Ph.D., Chief, Department of Military Psychiatry, Division of Neuropsychiatry, Walter Reed Army Institute of Research
3. By training and experience, a social anthropologist with special expertise in the field of the psychiatry of military organizations, Dr. Marlowe is the best informed person in the US Army Medical Research and Development Command on the subject addressed in project GRILL FLAME. I need someone from the professional staff of the command with whom I can dialogue on the body of knowledge pertaining to the subject of project GRILL FLAME. Inclusion of Dr. Marlowe among those cleared for this project will greatly assist me to pursue the possibility of a research effort as part of GRILL FLAME.

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